Local Centre Meetings
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North East Local Centre
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Date: Friday 8 May 2015

Location:
Williamson Library of St. Chad's College, North Bailey, Durham City.

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Speaker: David Bowker

Who were the Ice Saints and why were they important? This talk aims to give an overview of the key biographical details of these saints and the weather folklore that surrounds them. It also explores whether there is any basis for this folklore in records. Attention will also be paid to the spring cold episodes identified by HH Lamb, with consideration of the subtleties and variety of spring weather in the UK and why a northerly airflow does not always result in cold conditions.
All our meetings are held in the Williamson Library of St. Chad's College, North Bailey, Durham City. The College is overlooked by the east end of the Cathedral. Parking may be a problem, and you might be advised to park on Elvet Riverside or in the Prince Bishop’s multi-story car park and walk to the College. Meetings start at 1945 hours. For further details and information contact Dennis Wheeler on denniswheeler1948@msn.com [3]

Admission is free to everyone.

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